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ABSTRACT

This report on Miami-Dade Community College graduates presents a series of data tables illustrating, for the college as a whole and for each campus, graduation and completion rates, and trends in student demographics and miscellaneous characteristics. Report highlights indicate that in 1983-84: (1) there were 5,511 degrees or certificates awarded collegewide, representing a drop of 17.4% from the previous year; (2) there appeared to be a trend toward declining spring/summer/winter completions, but increasing fall completions with respect to the associate in arts (A.A.) degree; (3) as a whole, 75% of the completions were in the A.A. degree; (4) 66% of the completions were awarded to U.S. citizens and 88% to Dade County residents; (5) 80% of the graduates finished their award requirements within 5 years of first admission; (6) the collegewide ratio of males to females was 4:6; (7) 80% of the Hispanics who graduated received the A.A. degree, compared to approximately 70% of the White Non-Hispanics and Black Non-Hispanics; (8) the mean of credits earned was 75.83; (9) the mean grade was just short of a "B"; and (10) the mean number of terms to graduate was 10.83. (LAL)

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A COMPARATIVE GRADUATE PROFILE FOR MIAMI-DADE COMMUNITY COLLEGE 1982-83 AND 1983-84

Part I: Completion Trends

The term "completions" throughout this report is used to define degree awards and certificates. Where an occasional departure from the definition occurs, the differentiation will be noted. The Graduate Profile now contains data that are reported to the State on the basis of a report year which begins with the Spring/Summer 1982-83 Terms and Fall/Winter 1983-84 Terms. For purposes of comparison across years, a 1982-83 Report Year was constructed from past Graduate Profiles to include Spring/Summer 1981-82 and Fall/Winter 1982-83. For some of the tables, however, comparisons by report year will begin in 1984-85.

Table 1 shows frequencies and percentages of completions by term and campus. College-wide, there were 5,511 completions in 1983-84. Completions declined by an absolute number of 1,157 (17.4%) over the previous report year. With few exceptions, this decrease in number of completions was constant across terms and across campuses. South Campus had 44.8% of College-wide completions while 32.8% of completions occurred on North Campus.

Table 2 presents a comparison of unduplicated graduate head count to total completions awarded. Only in this Table are graduates shown. The actual number of persons graduating in the 1983-84 Report Year equals 5,316. However, there were 5,511 completions. Within the completion category are persons who achieved more than one award. Thus, there were 195 (3.5%) awards beyond the number of persons graduating. While South Campus graduated the greatest number of students, North Campus had the greatest number of multiple completions. Proportionately, Medical Center Campus had the highest percentage of multiple completions.

Tables 3 through 7 contain completions by certification type by actual term of completion. The College-wide total (Table 3) for the 1982-83 Report Year is 6,264. This figure represents the actual number of completions and varies from the College-wide total (Table 1) of 6,658 for the same Report Year. This variance is due to graduation postings, which is the flagging of completions when applications for awards are posted to the files. (Award qualifiers may not have applied for the award in the term in which they were eligible).

An examination of the 1984-85 Spring/Summer data revealed a trend of decreasing A.A. degrees in the short terms. However, A.A. degree completions are increasing in the Fall Term. For all campuses, this pattern of declining Winter and Spring/Summer completions and increasing Fall completions holds true with regard to the A.A. certification (Tables 4,5,6).

When proportions of Associate in Arts to Associate in Science completions are compared, the North Campus (Table 4) data are similar to College-Wide data (75% A.A.). South Campus (Table 5) and Wolfson Campus (Table 6) are even more heavily oriented toward Associate in Arts degree completions (92.3% and 86.2% respectively). Medical Center Campus (Table 7) has traditionally been an occupation oriented campus. In the 1983-84 Report Year, Associate in Science completion proportions rose to an all time high of 72.6% on this campus.

Table 1

Completions by Term by Campus

Campus	Terms: Spring Number of Completions	Spring Percent of Campus	Summer Number of Completions	Summer Percent of Campus	Fall Number of Completions	Fall Percent of Campus	Winter Number of Completions	Winter Percent of Campus	Total Number of Completions	Total Percent of Campus	Total Percent of College
1983-84 Report Year*											
North	349	19.3	393	21.7	524	29.0	542	30.0	1,808	100.0	32.8
South	510	20.7	475	19.2	813	32.9	671	27.2	2,469	100.0	44.8
Wolfson	53	8.5	216	34.3	216	34.3	144	22.9	629	100.0	11.4
Medical	81	13.4	129	21.3	203	33.6	192	31.7	605	100.0	11.0
College-Wide	993	18.0	1,213	22.0	1,756	31.9	1,549	28.1	5,511	100.0	100.0
1982-83 Report Year*											
North	370	16.7	585	26.5	583	26.4	671	30.4	2,209	100.0	33.1
South	630	21.8	792	27.3	671	23.2	803	27.7	2,896	100.0	43.4
Wolfson	70	9.3	339	45.2	132	17.6	209	27.9	750	100.0	11.3
Medical	124	15.2	192	23.6	172	21.2	325	40.0	813	100.0	12.2
College-Wide	1,194	17.9	1,908	28.6	1,558	23.4	2,008	30.1	6,668	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For purposes of comparison, a 1982-83 Report Year has been constructed from the previous Graduate Profile using Spring/Summer 1981-82 and Fall and Winter 1982-83.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)
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Table 2

Comparison of Unduplicated Graduate Headcount
to Total Completions Awarded

Campus	Completions		Graduates		Difference (Multiple Completions)	
	Number	Percent of College	Number	Percent of College	Number	Percent of Completions
	1983-84 Report Year*					
North	1,808	32.8	1,732	32.6	76	4.2
South	2,469	44.8	2,401	45.2	68	2.8
Wolfson	629	11.4	622	11.7	7	1.1
Medical	605	11.0	561	10.5	44	7.3
College-Wide	5,511	100.0	5,316	100.0	195	3.5

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 3

Completions by Certification Type by Actual Term of Completion

College-Wide

Term	Certification Type: Associate in Arts		Associate in Science		Associate in General Studies		Planned Certificate		Other Certificates		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1983-84 Report Year*												
Spring	786	18.8	167	15.9	6	23.1	29	11.1	5	83.3	993	18.0
Summer	940	22.5	229	21.9	8	30.8	36	13.8	0	-	1,213	22.0
Fall	1,321	31.7	315	30.1	7	26.9	112	42.9	1	16.7	1,756	31.9
Winter	1,124	27.0	336	32.1	5	19.2	84	32.2	0	-	1,549	28.1
Total	4,171	100.0	1,047	100.0	26	100.0	261	100.0	6	100.0	5,511	100.0
1982-83 Report Year*												
Spring	936	19.6	149	13.1	3	7.7	29	9.5	0	-	1,117	17.8
Summer	1,489	31.1	196	17.3	10	25.6	33	10.8	0	-	1,728	27.6
Fall	1,048	21.9	325	28.6	11	28.2	116	37.9	0	-	1,500	24.0
Winter	1,311	27.4	465	41.0	15	38.5	128	41.8	0	-	1,919	30.6
Total	4,784	100.0	1,135	100.0	39	100.0	306	100.0	0	-	6,264	100.0

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Table 4

Completions by Certification Type by Actual Term of Completion

North Campus

Term	Certification Type: Associate in Arts		Associate in Science		Associate in General Studies		Planned Certificate		Other Certificates		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1983-84 Report Year*												
Spring	276	20.5	53	14.4	3	27.3	12	15.4	5	100.0	349	19.3
Summer	292	21.7	91	24.6	4	36.3	6	7.7	0	-	393	21.7
Fall	404	30.1	96	26.0	2	18.2	22	28.2	0	-	524	29.0
Winter	373	27.7	129	35.0	2	18.2	38	48.7	0	-	542	30.0
Total	1,345	100.0	369	100.0	11	100.0	78	100.0	5	100.0	1,808	100.0
1982-83 Report Year*												
Spring	277	18.0	46	11.1	2	8.0	16	17.8	0	-	341	16.5
Summer	466	30.3	58	14.1	7	28.0	9	10.0	0	-	540	26.1
Fall	374	24.3	149	36.1	7	28.0	27	30.0	0	-	557	27.0
Winter	421	27.4	160	38.7	9	36.0	38	42.2	0	-	628	30.4
Total	1,538	100.0	413	100.0	25	100.0	90	100.0	0	-	2,066	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For purposes of comparison, a 1982-83 Report Year has been constructed from the previous Graduate Profile using Spring/Summer 1981-82 and Fall and Winter 1982-83.

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Table 5

Completions by Certification Type by Actual Term of Completion

South Campus

Term	Certification Type: Associate in Arts		Associate in Science		Associate in General Studies		Planned Certificate		Other Certificates		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1983-84 Report Year*												
Spring	453	20.7	40	23.7	3	33.3	14	13.5	0	-	510	20.7
Summer	445	20.4	23	13.6	3	33.3	4	3.8	0	-	475	19.2
Fall	696	31.8	57	33.7	1	11.1	58	55.8	1	100.0	813	32.9
Winter	592	27.1	49	29.0	2	22.3	28	26.9	0	-	671	27.2
Total	2,186	100.0	169	100.0	9	100.0	104	100.0	1	100.0	2,469	100.0
1982-83 Report Year*												
Spring	558	23.5	24	13.1	1	11.1	6	4.3	0	-	589	21.8
Summer	650	27.3	39	21.3	1	11.1	7	5.1	0	-	697	25.7
Fall	535	22.5	44	24.1	4	44.5	67	48.6	0	-	650	24.0
Winter	634	26.7	76	41.5	3	33.3	58	42.0	0	-	771	28.5
Total	2,377	100.0	183	100.0	9	100.0	138	100.0	0	-	2,707	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For purposes of comparison, a 1982-83 Report Year has been constructed from the previous Graduate Profile using Spring/Summer 1981-82 and Fall and Winter 1982-83.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)
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Table 6

Completions by Certification Type by Actual Term of Completion

Wolfson Campus

Term	Certification Type: Associate in Arts		Associate in Science		Associate in General Studies		Planned Certificate		Other Certificates		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1983-84 Report Year*												
Spring	46	8.8	5	7.0	0	-	2	6.2	0	-	53	8.5
Summer	174	33.5	28	38.9	1	20.0	13	40.6	0	-	216	34.3
Fall	174	33.5	24	33.3	4	80.0	14	43.8	0	-	216	34.3
Winter	126	24.2	15	20.8	0	-	3	9.4	0	-	144	22.9
Total	520	100.0	72	100.0	5	100.0	32	100.0	0	-	629	100.0
1982-83 Report Year*												
Spring	60	9.7	3	5.4	0	-	1	33.3	0	-	64	9.4
Summer	285	46.0	14	25.5	2	40.0	0	-	0	-	301	44.1
Fall	102	16.4	17	30.9	0	-	2	66.7	0	-	121	17.7
Winter	173	27.9	21	38.2	3	60.0	0	-	0	-	197	28.8
Total	620	100.0	55	100.0	5	100.0	3	100.0	0	-	683	100.0

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Table 7

Completions by Certification Type by Actual Term of Completion

Medical Campus

Term	Associate in Arts		Associate in Science		Associate in General Studies		Planned Certificate		Other Certificates		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1983-84 Report Year*												
Spring	11	9.2	69	15.8	0	-	1	2.1	0	-	81	13.4
Summer	29	24.2	87	19.9	0	-	13	27.7	0	-	129	21.3
Fall	47	39.1	138	31.6	0	-	18	38.3	0	-	203	33.6
Winter	33	27.5	143	32.7	1	100.0	15	31.9	0	-	192	31.7
Total	120	100.0	437	100.0	1	100.0	47	100.0	0	-	605	100.0
1982-83 Report Year*												
Spring	41	16.5	76	15.7	0	-	6	8.0	0	-	123	15.2
Summer	88	35.3	85	17.5	0	-	17	22.6	0	-	190	23.5
Fall	37	14.9	115	23.8	0	-	20	26.7	0	-	172	21.3
Winter	83	33.3	208	43.0	0	-	32	42.7	0	-	323	40.0
Total	249	100.0	484	100.0	0	-	75	100.0	0	-	808	100.0

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Part II: Demographic Trends and Miscellaneous Student Factors

Part II (Tables 8-26) consists of two broad categories of data, demographic trends and miscellaneous student factors. Included in the demographic data are such elements as citizenship, residency, year and term of first admission, gender, ethnicity, and age. Table 8 shows data on citizenship status. Sixty-six percent of all completions were awarded to United States citizens. Immigrant aliens comprise nearly 24% of the 1983-84 Report Year completions. The data for Non-Immigrant Aliens are those for students on visas. All told, 31.6% of the completions during the 1983-84 Report were awarded to non United States citizens.

Table 9 shows completions by residency. Approximately 88% of Miami-Dade Community College completions were awarded to Dade County residents. This percentage includes the Other category of Miami-Dade Community College employees/dependents and Dade County Public School employees. The remaining completions fall mainly in the Out-of-Country category (8.0%).

Tables 10-14 deal with completions by year and term of first admission to Miami-Dade Community College. College-wide, the modal number of years to graduate is three (28.6%). North and South (Tables 11 and 12) modal years to graduate correspond to the College-wide mode. The mode for number of years to graduate on both Wolfson and Medical Center Campuses (Tables 13 and 14) is four. Within five years of first admission, more than 80% of the graduates completed their education. It is interesting to note that eleven persons who were first admitted twenty-two or more years ago to Miami-Dade Community College completed their education in the 1983-84 Report Year.

Completions with regard to gender and certification type comprise Tables 15-19. Among receivers of A.A. degrees College-wide (Table 15), the ratio of males to females is 4:5. However, in looking

at gender ratios regardless of certification type, the total college ratio is 4 males to 6 females. This means that a greater proportion of females than males are receiving occupational awards also. North Campus (Table 16) data indicate that percentages of male and female completions for the Associate in Arts Degree (73%:75%) and Associate in Science Degrees (51%:49%) are nearly equal. On South Campus (Table 17), nearly 93% of the males received the A.A. degree as compared to 86% of females for the same degree. Wolfson Campus (Table 18) in this regard, mirrors College-wide data. Unique to Medical Center Campus (Table 19) is the one male to five females ratio. Degree types on this campus generally reflect these proportions.

Tables 20-24 concern completions by ethnic categories and certification type. Within ethnic groups, more than 80% of Hispanics obtained the transfer degree as opposed to other types of certification College-wide (Table 20). Approximately 70% of both White Non-Hispanic and Black Non-Hispanic received the A.A. degree. On North Campus (Table 21), the proportion of transfer to career certifications across all ethnic groups was, generally, similar (74%, 20% respectively). South Campus (Table 22) completions were predominantly A.A. degrees among the major ethnic groups (Black Non-Hispanic 85.6%, White Non-Hispanic 86.3%, Hispanic 90.5%). Across ethnic categories on Wolfson Campus (Table 23), 65.6% of the completion population were Hispanics and of these 87.4% selected the transfer degree. Among all other ethnic groups, A.A. completions were roughly 73% of the certification types. For the White Non-Hispanic on Medical Center Campus (Table 24), 80% of them received the A.S. degree. Nearly 69% of Black Non-Hispanics received the A.S. degree and more than 62% of the Hispanic completions were in that degree.

Table 25 presents completions by age at date of graduation. College-wide, the mean age at graduation was 24.62. Though the modal age is 20, this mode represents merely 19.2% of the completions. The configuration of the age categories is best described as irregularly rectangular with most crests but a few percentage points apart. South

Table 8

Completions by Citizenship Status

Citizenship Status	Campus								College-Wide	
	North		South		Wolfson		Medical			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
	1983-84 Report Year*									
U.S. Citizenship	1,140	63.1	1,690	68.5	329	52.3	476	78.7	3,635	66.0
Immigrant Alien	447	24.7	526	21.3	227	36.1	111	18.3	1,311	23.8
Non-Immigrant Alien	147	8.1	175	7.1	27	4.3	10	1.7	359	6.5
Refugee	33	1.8	16	0.6	19	3.0	6	1.0	74	1.3
Other**	41	2.3	62	2.5	27	4.3	2	0.3	132	2.4
Total	1,808	100.0	2,469	100.0	629	100.0	605	100.0	5,511	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

**M-DCC employees/dependents, Dade County Public School employees, and undesignated.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 9

Completions by Residency

Residency	Campus								College-Wide	
	North		South		Wolfson		Medical			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
	1983-84 Report Year*									
Dade County	1,512	83.6	2,151	87.1	564	89.7	503	83.1	4,730	85.8
Florida (Out of Dade County)	69	3.8	8	0.3	4	0.6	75	12.4	156	2.8
Out-of-State	8	0.4	22	0.9	1	0.2	6	1.0	37	0.7
Out-of-Country	158	8.8	235	9.5	36	5.7	13	2.2	442	8.0
Refugee	4	0.2	5	0.2	6	0.9	0	-	15	0.3
Other**	57	3.2	48	2.0	18	2.9	8	1.3	131	2.4
Total	1,808	100.0	2,469	100.0	629	100.0	605	100.0	5,511	100.0

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**M-DCC employees/dependents, Dade County Public School employees, and undesignated.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 10

Completions by Year and Term of First Admission at M-DCC

College-Wide						
Year of First Admission	Term of First Admission				Total	Percent of Total
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer		
	1983-84 Report Year*					
1960	0	0	1	0	1	-
1961	2	0	0	0	2	-
1962	5	1	2	0	8	0.1
1963	6	3	1	3	13	0.2
1964	8	3	0	1	12	0.2
1965	15	2	3	0	20	0.4
1966	13	3	1	1	18	0.3
1967	15	4	2	5	26	0.5
1968	15	5	1	5	26	0.5
1969	19	6	4	3	32	0.6
1970	22	6	3	5	36	0.7
1971	25	16	1	11	53	1.0
1972	31	10	4	2	47	0.9
1973	23	30	6	10	69	1.3
1974	53	32	15	20	120	2.2
1975	66	32	15	17	130	2.4
1976	78	51	15	13	157	2.8
1977	128	70	31	40	269	4.9
1978	184	112	40	68	404	7.3
1979	324	201	84	146	755	13.7
1980	706	325	105	195	1,331	24.1
1981	1,202	233	77	67	1,579	28.6
1982	285	72	14	5	376	6.8
1983	9	0	0	0	9	0.2
1984	0	0	0	0	0	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	18**	0.3
Total	3,234	1,217	425	617	5,511**	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

**Term totals do not add across to equal the year total because the 18 Unknowns have not been distributed into the terms.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 11

Completions by Year and Term of First Admission at M-DCC

North Campus

Year of First Admission	Term of First Admission				Total	Percent of Total
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer		
	1983-84 Report Year*					
1960	0	0	0	0	0	-
1961	0	0	0	0	0	-
1962	4	0	1	0	5	0.3
1963	2	2	0	1	5	0.3
1964	4	2	0	0	6	0.3
1965	9	1	3	0	13	0.7
1966	7	1	0	1	9	0.5
1967	10	2	0	0	12	0.6
1968	2	3	1	0	6	0.3
1969	7	0	3	1	11	0.6
1970	9	0	3	3	15	0.8
1971	8	5	0	5	18	1.0
1972	11	2	1	0	14	0.8
1973	10	16	1	4	31	1.7
1974	12	8	7	3	30	1.7
1975	19	12	5	4	40	2.2
1976	16	21	4	0	41	2.3
1977	34	20	9	9	72	4.0
1978	65	39	11	15	130	7.2
1979	116	68	36	39	259	14.3
1980	225	126	40	62	453	25.1
1981	377	91	35	15	518	28.6
1982	68	21	6	2	97	5.4
1983	5	0	0	0	5	0.3
1984	0	0	0	0	0	-
Unkown	-	-	-	-	18**	1.0
Total	1,020	440	166	164	1,808**	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

**Term totals do not add across to equal the year total because the 18 Unknowns have not been distributed into the terms.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 12

Completions by Year and Term of First Admission at M-DCC

South Campus

Year of First Admission	Term and First Admission				Total	Percent of Total
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer		
	1983-84 Report Year*					
1960	0	0	0	0	0	-
1961	2	0	0	0	2	0.1
1962	0	0	0	0	0	-
1963	1	1	1	1	4	0.2
1964	2	0	0	1	3	0.1
1965	3	1	0	0	4	0.2
1966	4	1	1	0	6	0.2
1967	5	1	1	5	12	0.5
1968	9	2	0	0	11	0.4
1969	7	4	1	1	13	0.5
1970	6	3	0	1	10	0.4
1971	12	5	0	1	18	0.7
1972	7	3	0	1	11	0.4
1973	5	8	1	4	18	0.7
1974	20	10	5	11	46	1.9
1975	19	11	4	8	42	1.7
1976	31	15	6	7	59	2.4
1977	61	23	15	14	113	4.6
1978	65	39	14	26	144	5.8
1979	129	86	32	68	315	12.8
1980	325	123	54	82	584	23.7
1981	680	97	32	35	844	34.2
1982	161	35	8	2	206	8.3
1983	4	0	0	0	4	0.2
1984	0	0	0	0	0	-
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	-
Total	1,558	468	175	268	2,469	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 13

Completions by Year and Term of First Admission at M-DCC

Wolfson Campus

Year of First Admission	Term of First Admission				Total	Percent of Total
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer		
	1983-84 Report Year*					
1960	0	0	1	0	1	0.2
1961	0	0	0	0	0	-
1962	1	0	0	0	1	0.2
1963	2	0	0	0	2	0.3
1964	1	0	0	0	1	0.2
1965	0	0	0	0	0	-
1966	1	0	0	0	1	0.2
1967	0	0	0	0	0	-
1968	1	0	0	0	1	0.2
1969	4	1	0	0	5	0.8
1970	2	1	0	0	3	0.5
1971	2	2	1	3	8	1.2
1972	4	1	0	0	5	0.8
1973	3	3	0	0	6	0.9
1974	6	5	1	1	13	2.1
1975	11	3	2	1	17	2.7
1976	6	5	2	2	15	2.4
1977	14	11	4	8	37	5.9
1978	22	18	9	15	64	10.1
1979	43	29	6	26	104	16.5
1980	97	57	7	31	192	30.5
1981	86	27	9	10	132	21.0
1982	16	5	0	0	21	3.3
1983	0	0	0	0	0	-
1984	0	0	0	0	0	-
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	-
Total	322	168	42	97	629	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 14

Completions by Year and Term of First Admission at M-DCC

Year of First Admission	Medical Campus					
	Term of First Admission					Percent of Total
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer	Total	
	1983-84 Report Year*					
1960	0	0	0	0	0	-
1961	0	0	0	0	0	-
1962	0	1	1	0	2	0.3
1963	1	0	0	1	2	0.3
1964	1	1	0	0	2	0.3
1965	3	0	0	0	3	0.5
1966	1	1	0	0	2	0.3
1967	0	1	1	0	2	0.3
1968	3	0	0	5	8	1.3
1969	1	1	0	1	3	0.5
1970	5	2	0	1	8	1.3
1971	3	4	0	2	9	1.5
1972	9	4	3	1	17	2.8
1973	5	3	4	2	14	2.3
1974	15	9	2	5	31	5.1
1975	17	6	4	4	31	5.1
1976	25	10	3	4	42	7.0
1977	19	16	3	9	47	7.8
1978	32	16	6	12	66	10.9
1979	36	18	10	13	77	12.8
1980	59	19	4	20	102	16.9
1981	59	18	1	7	85	14.1
1982	40	11	0	1	52	8.6
1983	0	0	0	0	0	-
1984	0	0	0	0	0	-
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	-
Total	334	141	42	88	605	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 15

Completions by Gender by Certification Type

College-Wide

Certification Type	Males Number	Males Percent	Percent Within Certification Type	Females Number	Females Percent	Percent Within Certification Type	Total	Percent of Total	Percent Within Certification Type
				1983-84 Report Year*					
Associate in Arts	1,831	81.6	43.9	2,340	71.6	56.1	4,171	75.7	100.0
Associate in Science	335	14.9	32.0	712	21.8	68.0	1,047	19.0	100.0
Associate in General Studies	20	0.9	76.9	6	0.2	23.1	26	0.5	100.0
Planned Certificate	56	2.5	21.5	205	6.3	78.5	261	4.7	100.0
Other Certificates or Miscode	3	0.1	50.0	3	0.1	50.0	6	0.1	100.0
Total	2,245	100.0	40.7	3,266	100.0	59.3	5,511	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 16

Completions by Gender by Certification Type

North Campus

Certification Type	Males Number	Males Percent	Percent Within Certification Type	Females Number	Females Percent	Percent Within Certification Type	Total	Percent of Total	Percent Within Certification Type
				1983-84 Report Year*					
Associate in Arts	636	73.3	47.3	709	75.4	52.7	1,345	74.4	100.0
Associate in Science	188	21.6	50.9	181	19.3	49.1	369	20.4	100.0
Associate in General Studies	10	1.2	90.9	1	0.1	9.1	11	0.6	100.0
Planned Certificate	32	3.7	41.0	46	4.9	59.0	78	4.3	100.0
Other Certificates or Miscode	2	0.2	40.0	3	0.3	60.0	5	0.3	100.0
Total	868	100.0	48.0	940	100.0	52.0	1,808	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 17

Completions by Gender by Certification Type

South Campus

Certification Type	Males Number	Males Percent	Percent Within Certification Type	Females Number	Females Percent	Percent Within Certification Type	Total	Percent of Total	Percent Within Certification Type
				1983-84 Report Year*					
Associate in Arts	942	92.8	43.1	1,244	85.5	56.9	2,186	88.5	100.0
Associate in Science	56	5.5	33.1	113	7.8	66.9	169	6.8	100.0
Associate in General Studies	6	0.6	66.7	3	0.2	33.3	9	0.4	100.0
Planned Certificate	10	1.0	9.6	94	6.5	90.4	104	4.2	100.0
Other Certificates or Miscode	1	0.1	100.0	0	-	-	1	0.1	100.0
Total	1,015	100.0	41.1	1,454	100.0	58.9	2,469	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Table 18

Completions by Gender by Certification Type

Wolfson Campus

Certification Type	Males Number	Males Percent	Percent Within Certification Type	Females Number	Females Percent	Percent Within Certification Type	Total	Percent of Total	Percent Within Certification Type
				1983-84 Report Year*					
Associate in Arts	236	89.7	45.4	284	77.6	54.6	520	82.7	100.0
Associate in Science	21	8.0	29.2	51	13.9	70.8	72	11.4	100.0
Associate in General Studies	4	1.5	80.3	1	0.3	20.0	5	0.8	100.0
Planned Certificate	2	0.8	6.3	30	8.2	93.7	32	5.1	100.0
Total	263	100.0	41.8	366	100.0	58.2	629	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84 (IRS50J00).

Table 19

Completions by Gender by Certification Type

Medical Campus

Certification Type	Males		Within Certification Type	Females		Percent Within Certification Type	Total	Percent of Total	Percent Within Certification Type
	Number	Percent		Number	Percent				
				1983-84 Report Year*					
Associate in Arts	17	17.2	14.2	103	20.4	85.8	120	19.8	100.0
Associate in Science	70	70.7	16.0	367	72.5	84.0	437	72.2	100.0
Associate in General Studies	0	-	-	1	0.2	100.0	1	0.2	100.0
Planned Certificate	12	12.1	25.5	35	6.9	74.5	47	7.8	100.0
Total	99	100.0	16.4	506	100.0	83.6	605	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84 (IRS50J00).

Table 20

Completions by Ethnic Category by Certification Type

College-Wide

Ethnic Categories	Certification Type: Associate in Arts Number	Associate in Arts Percent Within Ethnic	Associate in Science Number	Associate in Science Percent Within Ethnic	Associate in General Studies Number	Associate in General Studies Percent Within Ethnic	Planned Certificate Number	Planned Certificate Percent Within Ethnic	Other Certificate or Miscode Number	Other Certificate or Miscode Percent Within Ethnic	Total Number	Total Percent Within Ethnic	Total Percent of Total
1983-84 Report Year*													
White Non-Hispanic	1,339	70.7	445	23.5	10	0.5	99	5.2	1	0.1	1,894	100.0	34.4
Black Non-Hispanic	499	71.1	167	23.8	6	0.9	29	4.1	1	0.1	702	100.0	12.7
Hispanic	2,224	80.4	408	14.8	9	0.3	125	4.5	0	-	2,766	100.0	50.2
Asian or Pacific Islander	72	74.2	20	20.6	1	1.1	4	4.1	0	-	97	100.0	1.8
American Indian or Alaskan Native	9	81.8	1	9.1	0	-	1	9.1	0	-	11	100.0	0.2
Undesignated	28	68.3	6	14.6	0	-	3	7.3	4	9.8	41	100.0	0.7
Total	4,171	75.7	1,047	19.0	26	0.5	261	4.7	6	0.1	5,511	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84 (IRS50J00).

Table 21

Completions by Ethnic Category by Certification Type

North Campus

Ethnic Categories	Certification Type: Associate in Arts		Associate in Science		Associate in General Studies		Planned Certificate		Other Certificate or Miscode		Total		
	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Percent of Total
	1983-84 Report Year*												
White Non-Hispanic	390	74.7	104	19.9	4	0.8	24	4.6	0	-	522	100.0	28.9
Black Non-Hispanic	314	76.6	79	19.3	3	0.7	13	3.2	1	0.2	410	100.0	22.7
Hispanic	595	73.6	173	21.4	4	0.5	36	4.5	0	-	808	100.0	44.7
Asian or Pacific Islander	27	75.0	7	19.4	0	-	2	5.6	0	-	36	100.0	2.0
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	-
Undesignated	19	59.4	6	18.7	0	-	3	9.4	4	12.5	32	100.0	1.7
Total	1,345	74.4	369	20.4	11	0.6	78	4.3	5	0.3	1,808	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84 (IRS50J00).

Table 22

Completions by Ethnic Category by Certification Type

South Campus

Ethnic Categories	Certification Type: Associate in Arts Number	Associate in Arts Percent Within Ethnic	Associate in Science Number	Associate in Science Percent Within Ethnic	Associate in General Studies Number	Associate in General Studies Percent Within Ethnic	Planned Certificate Number	Planned Certificate Percent Within Ethnic	Other Certificate or Miscode Number	Other Certificate or Miscode Percent Within Ethnic	Total Number	Total Percent Within Ethnic	Total Percent of Total
					1983-84 Report Year*								
White Non-Hispanic	821	86.3	76	8.0	3	0.3	50	5.3	1	0.1	951	100.0	38.5
Black Non-Hispanic	95	85.6	9	8.1	1	0.9	6	5.4	0	-	111	100.0	4.5
Hispanic	1,216	90.5	78	5.8	4	0.3	46	3.4	0	-	1,344	100.0	54.4
Asian or Pacific Islander	36	80.0	6	13.3	1	2.2	2	4.5	0	-	45	100.0	1.8
American Indian or Alaskan Native	9	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	9	100.0	0.4
Undesignated	9	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	9	100.0	0.4
Total	2,186	88.5	169	6.8	9	0.4	104	4.2	1	0.1	2,469	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84 (IRS50J00).

Table 23

Completions by Ethnic Category by Certification Type

Wolfson Campus

Ethnic Categories	Certification Type: Associate in Arts		Associate in Science		Associate in General Studies		Planned Certificate		Other Certificate or Miscode		Total		
	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Percent of Total
1983-84 Report Year*													
White Non-Hispanic	85	75.2	18	15.9	3	2.7	7	6.2	0	-	113	100.0	18.0
Black Non-Hispanic	68	71.6	20	21.1	1	1.0	6	6.3	0	-	95	100.0	15.1
Hispanic	361	87.4	32	7.8	1	0.2	19	4.6	0	-	413	100.0	65.6
Asian or Pacific Islander	6	75.0	2	25.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	8	100.0	1.3
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	-
Undesignated	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	-
Total	520	82.7	72	11.4	5	0.8	32	5.1	0	-	629	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84 (IRS50J00).

Table 24

Completions by Ethnic Category by Certification Type

Medical Campus

Ethnic Categories	Certification Type: Associate in Arts		Associate in Science		Associate in General Studies		Planned Certificate		Other Certificate or Miscode		Total		
	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Number	Percent Within Ethnic	Percent of Total
1983-84 Report Year*													
White Non-Hispanic	43	14.0	247	80.2	0	-	18	5.8	0	-	308	100.0	50.9
Black Non-Hispanic	22	25.6	59	68.6	1	1.2	4	4.6	0	-	86	100.0	14.2
Hispanic	52	25.9	125	62.2	0	-	24	11.9	0	-	201	100.0	33.2
Asian or Pacific Islander	3	37.5	5	62.5	0	-	0	-	0	-	8	100.0	1.3
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0	-	1	50.0	0	-	1	50.0	0	-	2	100.0	0.4
Undesignated	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	-
Total	120	19.8	437	72.2	1	0.2	47	7.8	0	-	605	100.0	100.0

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84 (IRS50J00).

Table 25

Completions by Age at Date of Graduation

Age	Campus								Total	
	North		South		Wolfson		Medical			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
	1983-84 Report Year*									
18 or Under	51	2.8	70	2.8	31	4.9	3	0.5	155	2.8
19	243	13.4	512	20.7	64	10.2	21	3.5	840	15.3
20	374	20.7	557	22.6	80	12.7	47	7.8	1,058	19.2
21	251	13.9	351	14.2	59	9.4	51	8.4	712	12.9
22	144	8.0	217	8.8	51	8.1	41	6.8	453	8.2
23 - 25	248	13.7	297	12.0	90	14.3	133	22.0	768	13.9
26 - 30	209	11.6	199	8.1	67	10.7	120	19.8	595	10.8
Over 30	270	14.9	266	10.8	187	29.7	189	31.2	912	16.6
Undesignated	18	1.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	18	0.3
Total	1,808	100.0	2,469	100.0	629	100.0	605	100.0	5,511	100.0
Mean Age at Date of Graduation	24.48		23.08		27.76		28.00		24.62	

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84 (IRS50J00).

Campus continues to have the lowest mean age (23.08) and Medical Center Campus is constant in having the highest mean age (28.0).

Miscellaneous student factors is the topic of Table 26. College-wide, mean hours earned is 75.83 and mean hours attempted is 74.86. The mean hours earned exceeding the mean hours attempted may be attributed to credits earned by examination which accrue to hours earned. South Campus had the lowest mean hours earned (70.21) and Medical Center Campus had the highest mean hours earned (101.36). The upper extreme on Medical Center Campus is probably due to a combination of greater credit hour requirements as well as credit accumulations by students while they await limited access programs.

The mean grade point average is slightly less than a "B" for three campuses and College-wide. Calculated into the mean are grades from developmental and ESL courses. A final factor in this table entails Academic Terms Completed. The College-wide mean of 10.83 indicates that nearly eleven semesters, on the average, were needed to complete certification requirements. The semesters may not be consecutive. Because 60% of Miami-Dade Community College students are part-time scholars and because part-timers may "stop in and out," the mean terms are perceived with these considerations in mind and can not be equated with years. Recall that 80% of those who graduate complete award requirements within five years of initial enrollment.

Table 26

Miscellaneous Student Factors

	Campus				
	North	South	Wolfson	Medical	Total
1983-84 Report Year*					
Mean Hours Earned	75.00	70.21	75.68	101.36	75.83
Mean Hours Attempted	75.36	69.39	75.55	94.95	74.86
Mean Grade Point Average	2.90	2.86	2.96	3.04	2.91
Academic Terms Completed (Non-CLEP Graduates)	10.84	10.29	11.02	12.66	10.83

*Completions are now reported to the State on the basis of a report year which includes Spring/Summer 1982-83, and Fall and Winter 1983-84. For this reason no comparative data will be available until the 1984-85 Report Year.

Data Source: Graduate Profile for the State Reporting Year 1983-84. (IRS50J00)

Summary

The 1983-84 Graduate Profile is based upon graduation data sent to the State. These State data are now reported by Spring/Summer of the previous academic year (1982-83) and the Fall/Winter of the succeeding academic year (1983-84 in this case). For this new configuration, these term changes comprise a Report Year. Comparisons across years were made wherever meaningful data could be extracted. For some tables, across year comparisons will occur in the 1984-85 report.

College-wide, there were 5,511 completions. This constitutes a drop of 1,157 (17.4%) across the comparison year. The decline occurred across terms and campuses, for the most part. Of these completions, 195 (3.5%) of them were multiple completions. There appears to be a trend toward declining Spring/Summer/Winter completions but increasing Fall completions with respect to the Associate in Arts degree. This pattern is partially explained by the anticipation of the necessity for CLAST preparation.

As a whole, 75% of completions were in the Associate in Arts degree. South Campus had the highest proportion, among campuses, of this award (92.3%). Medical Center Campus has been historically, an Associate in Science degree campus. It had an all time high in the 1983-84 Report Year of 72.6% A.S. completions.

Regarding demographics, 66% of completions were awarded to United States citizens and 88% to Dade County residents. Within five years of first admission, more than 80% of graduates finished their award requirements. The College-Wide ratio of males to females is 4:6. South Campus had not only the highest proportion of Associate in Arts degrees (92.3%) but the highest proportion of males (92.8%) who were awarded the A.A. degree as compared to the A.S. degree. Medical Center Campus, on the other hand, is in direct contrast to South Campus with 72.6% Associate in Science degrees and 84.0% females among recipients of this degree. Within ethnic groups College-wide, 80% of Hispanics who graduated received the A.A. degree in comparison to approximately

70% of White Non-Hispanics and Black Non-Hispanics.

Medical Center Campus has a number of unique characteristics in its graduate data, several of which were already mentioned. Adding to it, is the 80% A.S. certification among white Non-Hispanics. College-wide, the mean age at graduation was 24.62. South Campus, repeatedly, has the lowest mean age (23.08) while the oldest mean age has been a stable factor at Medical Center Campus (28.0 for the 1983-84 Report Year).

The mean of credits earned College-wide is 75.83. This statistic ranges from a low at South Campus (70.21) to a high at Medical Center Campus (101.36). Among three campuses the mean grade is just short of a "B". The mean number of terms to graduate is 10.83, however many semester hours and extended years these terms may take.

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